Opening of Libraries.

95. MR. V. K. VARGHESE: Will the Hon'ble Minister for Education be pleased to take necessary steps to open library and reading rooms in the rural areas of Pathanamthitta taluk?

HON'BLE MR. N. KUNJURAMAN: Yes.

Police lock-ups.

96. MR. V. K. VARGHESE: Will the Hon'ble Minister for Police be pleased to take necessary steps for improving the police lock-ups in the State?

HON'BLE MR. T. K. NARAYANA PILLAI: The matter is engaging the attention of Government.

Sub Inspectors in the Education Department.

97. MR. V. K. VARGHESE: Will the Hon'ble Minister for Education be pleased to reply:

(*a*) the number of Sub Inspectors in the Education Department;

(*b*) the pay of such Sub Inspector; and

(*c*) whether the Government think it necessary to continue this system?

HON'BLE MR. N. KUNJURAMAN: (*a*) 142.

(*b*) Rs. 30—60 each per mensem.

(*c*) Yes. With suitable changes which are under consideration.

Agricultural Division Office, Muvattupuzha.

98. MR. N. P. VARGHESE (*Muvattupuzha I—General*): Will the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state:

(*a*) has the Director of Agriculture recommended to abolish the Manure Depot at Muvattupuzha and its transfer to some other place;

(*b*) are Government aware that Muvattupuzha is one of the best paddy producing taluks and that manure is in great demand in Muvattupuzha;

(*c*) are Government aware that Bone Meal which is most in demand by cultivation is not available in Muvattupuzha Manure Depot; and

(*d*) will Government be pleased to retain the Division Manure Depot at Muvattupuzha and to open Sub Depots in every pakuthy?

HON'BLE MR. V. O. MARKOS: (*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.

Stud Bulls.

99. MR. N. P. VARGHESE: Will the Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of stud bulls maintained by Government or maintained by farmers with Government subsidy in Muvattupuzha taluk and the places where they are kept;

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